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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Bear, et al.	Examiner:	Makar, K. A.
Serial No.:	10/655,872	Art Unit:	1636
Filing Date:	September 5, 2003		
Title:	LENTIVIRAL VECTORS, RELATED REAGENTS, AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF		

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Commissioner For Patents
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE REPLY AND REQUEST TO
EXPUNGE**

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Responsive Reply mailed July 29, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following Amendment and consideration of the following Remarks. The deadline for responding to the Notice without fees is August 29, 2008. Applicant thus submits that the present Response is timely submitted on Thursday, August 28, 2008.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this Response.